Reflection on Philanthropy

What did you learn from the student philanthropy grant?

I learned that people have the capability to be very kind. What I saw at my service site was people helping people. Most of the staff at The Caring Place were volunteers. So I have learned that giving back is an important part of living in society.

What did you learn about non-profit agencies?

I learned from non-profit agencies that they are responsible for all the assistance for the homeless or people living on a low income. I learned that without them there would be no one to help people in need get back to living an independent life.

If you had to do this assignment over, what would you do differently?

If I were to do this assignment over I would choose to go to an agency specifically for the developmentally disabled so that I can learn about what they do and help in anyway that I can.

How do you plan on taking what you learned in this class with you later in life?

I take with me from this class the mind set of a philanthropist. I will always remember Mrs. Seal and all the volunteers at the Caring   
Place. And when I finish all my education and begin my career I will remember to do what I can to help people at food pantries or students that have disabilities.